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BOARD OF PHARMACY

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION	:	
OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF:	:	Administrative Action
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MANAL ABDELHAMID, R.P.	:	
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TO PRACTICE PHARMACY IN THE	:	FINAL ORDER OF
STATE OF NEW JERSEY	:	DISCIPLINE
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This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Pharmacy upon receipt of information which the Board has reviewed and on which the following findings of fact and conclusions of law are made:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent is a licensed pharmacist in the State of New Jersey and has been a licensee at all times relevant hereto.

2. On November 14, 1999 respondent was the subject of a Judgment filed in Superior Court, Hudson County by the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services. Specifically: Manal Abdelhamid, R.P. is obligated to pay \$23,643.22 to the Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services for failure to reimburse the State of New Jersey for

incorrect payment in violation of N.J.S.A. 30:4D-17 (certified copy of filed Judgment annexed hereto and made a part hereof).

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The above judgment provides grounds for the suspension of his license to practice pharmacy in New Jersey pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21)b) in that it is based on findings of indebtedness which involve fraud, dishonesty or misrepresentation.

Based on the foregoing findings and conclusions, a Provisional Order of Discipline suspending respondent's license to practice Pharmacy in the State of New Jersey was entered on August 23, 2000 and a copy was forwarded to respondent at the last known address on file with the Board. The Provisional Order was subject to finalization by the Board at 5:00 p.m. on the 30th business day following entry unless respondent requested a modification of dismissal of the stated Findings of Fact or Conclusions of Law by submitting a written request for modification or dismissal setting forth in writing any and all reasons why said findings and conclusions should be modified or dismissed and submitting any and all documents or other written evidence supporting respondent's request for consideration and reasons therefor. Because the Order was forwarded to respondent's address of record, the Board deems service to have been effected. Accordingly, it is determined that further proceedings were not necessary and that the Provisional Order should be made final.

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS ON THIS 24th DAY OF October 2000,

ORDERED:

1. Respondent's license to practice Pharmacy in the State of New Jersey is hereby revoked.

2. Prior to resuming active practice in New Jersey respondent shall be required to appear before the Board (or a committee thereof) to demonstrate his fitness to do so, and any practice in this State prior to said appearance shall constitute grounds for the charge of unlicensed practice. In addition, the Board reserves the right to place restrictions on respondent's practice should his license be reinstated.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

By: Richard A. Palombo R.P.
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This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Pharmacy upon receipt of information which the Board has reviewed and on which the following preliminary findings of fact and conclusions of law are made:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent is a licensed pharmacist in the State of New Jersey and has been a licensee at all times relevant hereto.

2. On November 14, 1999 respondent was the subject of a Judgment filed in Superior Court, Hudson County by the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services. Specifically: Manal Abdelhamid, R.P. is obligated to pay \$23,643.22 to the Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Assistance and Health

Services for failure to reimburse the State of New Jersey for incorrect payment in violation of N.J.S.A. 30:4D-17 (certified copy of filed Judgment annexed hereto and made a part hereof).

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The above judgment provides grounds for the suspension of his license to practice pharmacy in the New Jersey pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b) in that it is based on findings of indebtedness which involve ~~the~~ fraud, dishonesty or misrepresentation.

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS ON THIS 23rd DAY OF August 2000

ORDERED THAT:

1. Respondent's license to practice pharmacy in the State of New Jersey be and hereby is revoked.

2. The within Order shall be subject to finalization by the Board at 5:00 p.m. on the 30th business day following entry hereof unless respondent requests a modification or dismissal of the above stated Findings of Fact or Conclusions of Law by:

a) submitting a written request for modification or dismissal to H. Lee Gladstein, Executive Director, State Board of Pharmacy, 124 Halsey Street, 6th Floor, Newark, New Jersey.

b) setting forth in writing any and all reasons why said findings and conclusions should be modified or dismissed.

c) submitting any and all documents or other written evidence supporting respondent's request for consideration and reasons therefor.

3. Any submissions will be reviewed by the Board, and the Board will thereafter determine whether further proceedings are necessary. If no material discrepancies are raised through the submission by respondent during the thirty-day period, or if the Board is not persuaded that submitted materials merit further consideration or mitigation of the penalties set forth herein, a Final Order of Discipline will be entered.

4. In the event that respondent's submissions establish a need for further proceedings, including, but not limited to, an evidentiary hearing, respondent is ordered, the preliminary findings of fact and conclusions of law contained herein shall serve as notice of the factual and legal allegations in such proceeding.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

By: Richard A. Palumbo
Richard A. Palumbo, R.P.
Board President

CERTIFICATE OF DEBT

TO THE CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY

I, Leon R. Bartol, Administrator of the Bureau of Administrative Control, Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services, pursuant to the provisions of the New Jersey Medical Assistance and Health Services Act, N.J.S.A. 30:4D et seq., and more specifically N.J.S.A. 30:4D-17(h), hereby certify that:

Manal Abdelhamid, R.Ph.
7100 Boulevard East, 11G
Gutenberg, New Jersey 07093-4717

Is indebted to the State of New Jersey, Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services under the aforementioned Act by reason of her failure to reimburse the State of New Jersey for incorrect payments and interest, said amounts having been assessed for violation of N.J.S.A. 30:4D-17.

Manal Abdelhamid, R.Ph. is indebted to pay the following amount to the State of New Jersey, Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services:

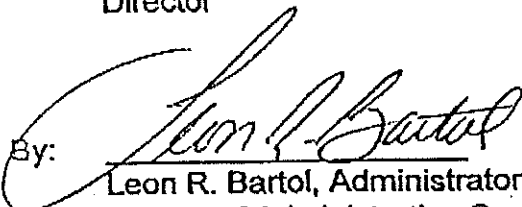
Overpayment	\$19,340.06
Interest	<u>\$ 4,303.16*</u>
Total	\$23,643.22

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You are hereby requested to enter judgement upon your record of docketed judgements against said Manal Abdelhamid R.Ph. in favor of the State of New Jersey in the amount of \$23,643.22 with the party being liable for said amount. For so doing, this Certificate shall be your warrant.

* Interest will accrue at a rate of \$96.70 per month effective the fifteenth (15) day of each subsequent month.

Margaret A. Murray
Director

By: 
Leon R. Bartol, Administrator
Bureau of Administrative Control

Dated: NOV. 18, 1999
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I hereby certify that the foregoing
is a true copy of the original on file
in my office.



Clerk